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**ETHANOLATE OF AZITHROMYCIN,
PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURE, AND
PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS
THEREOF**

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Sir:

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1. Transmitted herewith for filing is an Amendment in response to the Office Action mailed March 5, 2010, for the above-identified patent application.
2. Applicants hereby request a **three-month extension of time** to respond to the Office Action of March 5, 2010, which set a three-month period for response. The extended period for response expires on September 5, 2010. The **\$1,110.00** extension fee is being paid by credit card. Please charge any additional fees to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon LLP, deposit account number 11-0600.

Respectfully submitted,

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